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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
FROM THE OFFICE ACTION

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Applicant : HO YIN TANG, et al.  
Application No. : 09/886,625 Confirmation No. 4370  
Filed : June 20, 2001  
Title : LOW SWITCHING TEMPERATURE POLYMER POSITIVE  
TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT DEVICE  
Grp./Div. : 1711  
Examiner : Travis B. Ribar  
Docket No. : 40226/DMC/B553  
Customer No. : 23363

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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August 28, 2003

Commissioner:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the final Office action dated February 28, 2003 for Three month(s) from May 28, 2003 to August 28, 2003.

The fee for extension of time required by 37 CFR § 1.17 is calculated below.

CALCULATION OF FEE			
LENGTH OF EXTENSION	SMALL ENTITY	LARGE ENTITY	FEE
WITHIN FIRST MONTH	\$ 55	\$110	\$
WITHIN SECOND MONTH	\$205	\$410	\$
WITHIN THIRD MONTH	\$465	\$930	\$930.00
WITHIN FOURTH MONTH	\$725	\$1450	\$
WITHIN FIFTH MONTH	\$985	\$1970	\$

Submitted herewith is a check for \$ \$930.00 to cover the cost of the extension.

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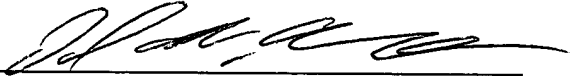
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. **A copy of this letter is enclosed.**

Respectfully submitted,

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